

St Martin's News



14th September 2025 Luke 15: 1-10



Church Roster

Sunday 14th September 2025
Worship Leader: Carolyn Ebell Traylor
Bible Reader: Hana: Jer 4: 11-12,22-28, Ps
14, 1Tim 1: 12-17, Lk 15: 1-10 M/Tea: Rita

Sunday 21st September 2025 Worship Leader: Robert Watson Bible Reader: Nely: Jer 8:18-9:1, Ps 79:1-9, 1Tim 2:1-7, Lk 16: 1-13 M/Tea: Nely

What's Coming Up!

Sat 13th, Today - **Craft & Chat** 10am—11.30am Come along for craft, fellowship and laughter.

Messy Church - Sat 20th September at KUC See Flyer attached

Bingo Afternoon at St Stephens Sat 4th Oct 2pm Raising funds for School Chaplaincy & Children in Need Flyer on the Church notice board

A Very Special Gathering for Our Congregation!

Will be held after worship on Sunday 12th October. This is a time where we can reflect, assess and work together as we look at our future over the coming years. Steve Wickham a trained leader and Pastor will facilitate this extremely important gathering. It is really important that you attend. We will share lunch together after the meeting. Please put it in your diary. This is about our future together, and how we serve the people of the Foothills.

Father's Day and the 1st Sunday of the Season of Creation was celebrated as part of worship led by Alison last Sunday. A unexpected visit from Rev Cyrus Kung of Uniting World and his wife Hanna and daughter Sophia was an added blessing. Cyrus gave a short talk about the work of Uniting World. They along with members of

the Congregation enjoyed an amazing Father's Day morning tea provided by Hana. The church was decorated for the Season of Creation by Kathy.



The St Martin's Foothills Website:

https://foothills.ucwa.au/

The 10am Service on Sunday at KUC will be on Zoom:
Sunday Service Link

The Gospel reading for this Sunday needs no introduction. It is about 3 things that were lost, the sheep, the coin and the son. Jesus upset the social conventions of the religious leaders by having a meal with the "sinners', that is, those who broke the commandments. He offers hope to those who are sinners instead of condemning them. Let us be clear; he does not condone the sins, whatever degree they are. Jesus offers forgiveness and a new relationship with God. This is the hope that we have. Jesus said that we can be born again. A new beginning. St. Paul when writing to Timothy, confirms this great Truth in 1Timothy chapter 1 verses 12 - 17. The whole basis of this is that, Jesus died and rose again. This is the Message of the Cross and Resurrection "He atoned for our sins, that is, he reconciled us to God and obtained for us all the benefits of salvation" (quotes from a Catechism). *This week's reflection is by Rev John Steed*

A big thank you to those who donated to the **Uniting World Gaza appeal**. **\$1400** was raised.

A Message from MB and Vimbai was received this week: "We hope this message finds you all well and filled with peace, Me and my wife Vimbai take a moment to express our heartfelt gratitude for the time we spent worshiping together, sharing in faith and fellowshipping with you all was truly blessing that we deeply cherish" "MWARI VOKUDENGA VAKUROPAFADZEI ZVIZHINJI" Which means: May the God of heaven bless you many times.



Check out the Sept edition of Spin Cycle:

Spin Cycle

For more information about **Orange Sky** or to register as a volunteer:

Apply now

Please do not hesitate to contact **Rev John Steed** or **Rev Janelle Macgregor** who are available for Pastoral Care.

WA Synod 2025
The 49th Annual Meeting of the Synod of WA is on this weekend at Wesley College, in South Perth.

If you would like to stay in touch with news from the Synod in session this weekend there will be regular updates on our Facebook page and Instagram.



Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child

The special boxes are now available in our Church entry together with information flyers. Please see Rita if you have any questions. Boxes need to be ready by October 13th.

Enjoy making up your special box for a child who may never have received a special gift like this before! You are making a difference!